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NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S
PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

The drawing(s) filed (insert date)

9/24/02

A. ☒ approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.B. ☒ objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. The Examiner will require submission of new, corrected drawing(s) when necessary. Corrected drawing must be submitted according to the instructions on the back of this notice.

<p>1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings: Black ink. Color. ___ Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted. Fig(s) ___ ___ Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b) ___ 1 full-tone set is required. Fig(s) ___ ___ Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(c) ___ Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s) ___</p> <p>3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(c) ___ Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable Fig(s) ___ ___ Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy machine marks not accepted. Fig(s) ___ ___ Mylar, vellum paper is not acceptable (too thin). Fig(s) ___</p> <p>4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes: ___ 21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) ___ 21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2 x 11 inches) ___ All drawing sheets not the same size Sheet(s) ___ ___ Drawing sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm SIZE: A4 Size Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm SIZE: 8 1/2 x 11 Margins not acceptable. Fig(s) ___ ___ Top (T) ___ Left (L) ___ Right (R) ___ Bottom (B)</p> <p>6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h) REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes. Partial views. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(2) ___ Brackets needed to show figure as one entity. Fig(s) ___ ___ Views not labeled separately or properly. Fig(s) ___ ___ Enlarged view not labeled separately or properly. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84 (h)(3) ___ Hatching not indicated for sectional portions of an object. Fig(s) ___ ___ Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s) ___</p>	<p>8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i) ___ Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(j) ___ Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two thirds in reproduction. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(i) ___ Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined (faint, double, and black (poor line quality)). Fig(s) ___</p> <p>11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m) ___ Solid black areas pale. Fig(s) ___ ___ Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s) ___ ___ Shade lines, pale, rough and blurred. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p) ___ Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible. Fig(s) ___ ___ Figure legends are poor. Fig(s) ___ ___ Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1) Fig(s) ___ ___ English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) Fig(s) ___ ___ Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least .32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3) Fig(s) ___</p> <p>13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q) ___ Lead lines cross each other. Fig(s) ___ ___ Lead lines missing. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(r) ___ Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals beginning with number 1. Sheet(s) ___</p> <p>15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u) ___ Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s) ___</p> <p>16. CORRECTIONS. 37 CFR 1.84(w) ___ Corrections not made from prior PTO-918 dated ___</p> <p>17. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152 ___ Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig(s) ___ ___ Solid black shading not used for color contrast. Fig(s) ___</p>
<p>COMMENTS</p>	

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REMINDER

Drawing changes may also require changes in the specification, e.g., if Fig. 1 is changed to Fig. 1A, Fig. 1B, Fig. 1C, etc., the specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawing, must likewise be changed. Please make such changes by 37 CFR 1.312 Amendment at the time of submitting drawings.

INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES

1. Correction of Drawings - 37 CFR 1.85

File new drawings with the changes incorporated therein. Identifying indicia, if provided, should include the title of the invention, inventor's name, and application number, or docket number (if any) if an application number has not been assigned to the application. If this information is provided, it must be placed on the front of each sheet and centered within the top margin. The drawing should be filed as a separate paper with a transmittal letter addressed to the Drawing Review Branch.

2. Timing for Corrections

Applicant is required to submit **acceptable** corrected drawings within the three-month shortened statutory period set in the Notice of Allowability (PTOL-37).

Failure to take corrective action within set period will result in **ABANDONMENT** of the Application.

3. Corrections other than Defects Noted by the Drawing Review Branch on the Form PTO-948

All changes to the drawings, other than defects noted by the Drawing Review Branch, **MUST** be approved by the examiner before the application will be allowed. No changes will be permitted other than correction of defects, unless the examiner has approved the proposed changes.